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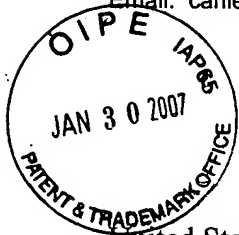
January 30, 2007

United States Patent and Trademark Office
Attn: Commissioner for Patents
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Re: U.S. Patent Application Serial No. 10/026,911
        Filed: December 27, 2001
        For: *Allergy Vaccines and Their Preparation*
        Inventors: Focke, et al.
        Our Ref.: 966927.00005

Dear Sir/Madam:

        The following documents are forwarded herewith for appropriate action by the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office:

1.   Response and Amendments Under 37 C.F.R. §1.116; and
2.   One Return Postcard.

        It is respectfully requested that the attached postcard be stamped with the date of filing of these documents and returned to our courier.

                        Respectfully submitted,

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In re Application of: Focke et al.

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Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated October 30, 2006, Applicants submit the following Amendments and Remarks.

Response being due on or before January 30, 2007, it is believed that no extension of time for response is necessary. However, if additional extensions of time are necessary to prevent abandonment of this application, then such extensions of time are hereby petitioned under 37 C.F.R. § 1.136(a), and any fees required therefor (including fees for net addition of claims are hereby authorized to be charged to our Deposit Account No. 50-0622.

Applicants respectfully request that the above-captioned application be amended as indicated below.